

A forested shoreline loomed up out of the fog last Sunday morning for 125 editors, their wives and children as the United States Coast Guard Cutter Sundew slowly felt its way into the harbor of St. James, Beaver Island's lone settlement.

The trip to the main island of the Beaver archipelago was the highlight and windup of a three day summer outing of the Michigan Press Association held at the Belvedere Hotel at Charlevoix.

The big Cutter Sundew is stationed at Charlevoix and is used in tending the light and bell buoys in the surrounding Lake Michigan waters. The Commander L. R. N. Bergh proved an affable host, allowing the editors free run of the ship. The most popular place aboard, without question, was the Radar room, where the almost unbelievably magic equipment showed the positions of all land and boats surrounding the Sundew.

The main purpose of the trip was the dedication of a plaque that was mounted on a huge boulder on the lawn before the 98-year-old sprawling building that once housed the first daily newspaper north of the Grand Rapids-Bay City line. The old Mormon printing house and family "Northern Islander" published by "King" Jesse James Strang, who literally had life and death rule over his Mormon flock during the period of 1850-56 on the island.

His reign and subsequent assassination were recalled as the dedication ceremonies took place before the now empty print shop last Sunday. The plaque was furnished by the Michigan Press Association and presented to the islanders by Dr. Lewis Beeson of Lansing, secretary of the Historical Commission. The plaque was received by Fred Spaulding, president of the Beaver Island Board of Commerce.

The islanders provided transportation for the visitors who were taken to help beauty and historical spots on the island. Later a whitish dinner was served to the editors at the King Strang Hotel. The tour of the island revealed three medium-sized sawmills which are used in sawing the logs taken from the extensive forestland of the island. Of course the most important trade of the island is fishing. Drying nets line and shoreline and the rugged fish boats bob at anchor near a mixed sand and stone beach.

The islanders have begun a concerted drive for tourist trade during the past few years and have some fine attractions. Fishing in several inland lakes of the island is wonderful. We were told this by visitors as well as the home-folks. An airport is under construction on a flat plateau near the island's center. This airport will be comparable in size with Grayling's but does not, of course, have hard-surfaced runways. The runways, however, are lighted.

New cabin accommodations are beginning to rise along the forested shoreline with rents that are not too high. Dr. Beeson in his presentation speech told the gathered islanders that they should make more use of the great historical background to draw further tourist trade to the island.

The drive for the tourist business sparkplugged by the island's Board of Commerce and with the aid of the island's population (between 550 and 650) has been a fine one. The island provides a test spot for outdoor activities, a test of vacation and a historical trip. You'll hear more from Beaver Island in the next few years.

Also appearing on the presentation program was retiring president of the Michigan Historical Commission, Chester Ellison of Lansing, and Larry Towe, publisher of the Charlevoix Courier, who arranged the trip and summer outing events.

A little of the history of the island—the island was the only kingdom ever to exist in the United States. It lasted just under ten years and its ruler, who tried to make polygamy appear a "divine ordinance" and his kingdom a power to be reckoned with, was assassinated nearly a century ago. After being found not guilty on a charge of murder in Detroit, where he pleaded his own case, King Strang ran and was elected to the State Legislature. He proved to be a leader in the Legislature. At the same time, his candidates won the administrative offices of the county and moved the county seat to St. James on the island. This, of course, aroused the ire of the mainland inhabitants and a small scale war was the result. The King's life was taken and the Mormon rule of the island group collapsed.

West All-Stars Win, 14-10

The Western All Stars under the management of Houghton King defeated the Easterners in a slugfest last Sunday by a score of 14-10 in a game that turned out to be anything but a mound duel. It was a free hitting contest with both teams getting 17 hits. Simmons of Houghton Lake playing center field for the Westerners was the hitting star of the game as he connected for two doubles and a triple in five trips. Hinman of the Shamrocks in left field also connected for three hits with a double and two singles, both men scored three runs each.

Stuck of Houghton Lake started on the mound for the Westerners but gave way in the second to Gildner of Grayling with the score at 3-0 for the Easterners and the bases loaded. Gildner was tagged for a single by the first man he faced making the score 5-0. In their half of the second the West scored twice as Bennett singled home Simmons and Hinman after Simmons had tripled into deep center field and Hinman drew a base on balls. The East scored two more in the third making the score 7-2, but again a three run rally by the West made the count 7-5 in favor of the East as Gene Brothers of Mio left the mound in the fourth and one in the fifth to take a lead as Gildner lashed shut out ball for the next two innings.

The new battery for the West was Griffiths on the mound and Weaver behind the plate for the next three innings while Troyer pitched the last three innings for the East with Donch behind the plate. The late Arnold Abbe working behind the plate while his brother Royce was on the mound suffered a broken thumb and was taken to the hospital in the fourth inning.

Other hitting stars were E. Emig of Comins, who had three for five, and S. Rosa who connected safely five times in six trips to the plate. Bennett of Grayling had three for three including a triple.

The box score:

AB	R	H
McGregor	2	1
A. Abbe	1	0
Knepp	3	2
S. Rosa	6	1
B. Finch	8	0
Rousseau	3	2
Kaufman	3	1
Goslin	3	1
F. Emig	6	0
L. Goslin	5	1
E. Emig	5	0
G. Brothers	1	1
A. Abbe	2	0
Troyer	1	0
48	10	17

Local Boy Ends Six Months Training

Fort Knox, Ky.—Trainee Melvin Marshall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin J. Marshall of 205 Peninsula St., Grayling, Michigan, completed six months' training in the Universal Military Training Experimental Unit here on June 23rd after enlisting in the Regular Army last December.

Trainee Marshall is one of some 1,966 young soldiers who have been "guinea pigs" in the Army Field Forces' experiment here in teen-age training. Brigadier General J. R. Scheets is the Commanding General of the unit.

The unit was set up to test methods of training particularly adapted to 18-year-olds. Its purpose was to prepare for a program of universal military training if and when such a program is adopted for all Regular Army trainees.

Final rites were read by Rev. R. C. Puffer, Thursday, June 24, at 10 A. M. at the Sorenson Funeral Home for Albert Nelson of Frederic, who passed away June 21 at Mercy Hospital. Interment was in Elmwood Cemetery. Albert Madill, Carl Johnson, Al Kelsner, George Flinn, Paul Jungman and C. Hinkle of Frederic served as pallbearers.

Local Couple To Return To States

Clark Air Force Base, Luzon, P. I.—Special—Capt. and Mrs. Leonard H. Knibbs and their five-months-old daughter, Linda, of Grayling, Michigan, will leave the Clark Air Force Base in the Philippines Islands soon for assignment in the United States to the Wright-Patterson Air Force Base at Dayton, Ohio.

The Knibbs will spend a 45-day leave in Grayling and vicinity, before reporting to Wright-Patterson for duty.

During his 24-month stay in the Philippines, he has served as communications officer with the 22nd Troop Carrier Squadron, known as "the biggest little Airline in the Pacific."

Cornell Named Commissioner

Willard Cornell, recently resigned athletic director of Grayling High School, was named as County School Commissioner by the Board of Supervisors who opened their June session here Monday morning at the Crawford County Court House.

Mr. Cornell was named to fill the unexpired term of Frank L. Bond, who resigned the post due to the pressure of his duties as School Commissioner of the City of Grayling.

Supt. Bond has held both posts for a number of years, but, stated that during the past two years the heavy load of both positions has made it impossible for him to accomplish the best of results in both positions.

Seek Bidder On Truck Mail Route

The United States Post Office is seeking sealed bids for the Bay City to Grayling truck mail route. The route is being re-advertised under a provision of the postal laws and an award on the contract contemplates discontinuance of service under the present contract on the route.

The mail truck leaves Bay City at about 8:30 A. M. six days a week and stops at nine post offices on the 105 mile run. The route leaves for the return trip at 12:30 p. m. each day.

Crashes Kill 1 Injure Four

Automobile accidents on US-27 near Grayling in the past few days have taken one life and injured four others.

Mathias Smoke, 76, of Detroit passed away at Mercy Hospital early Tuesday morning. His death was attributed to injuries received in an accident 3 miles north of Grayling on US-27 that occurred last Saturday. The victim lost control of his car on a curve, Sheriff William Golinick who investigated the accident said. He added that the car left the road and rolled over sideways several times and over and over at least twice. Mrs. Smoke, who was riding with her husband, received a badly bruised leg as a result of the mishap.

A crash at so-called Deadman's Curve on US-26 south of Grayling on Monday evening sent three others to the hospital. A car driven by Francis Murphy of Roscommon was in collision with a car being driven north by Jack Harbert, 23, of Fairmont, West Virginia, according to Sheriff Golinick, who investigated. The collision was of the head-on variety with car damage extensive. Harbert was released from the hospital Tuesday as his accident injuries were minor. Murphy received a badly mangled leg and will be hospitalized for some time. Jack Curtis of Gladwin, who has been working in Roscommon, owned the car Murphy was driving and was riding when the crash occurred. He suffered severe head and hand lacerations.

Extra Patrols For Holidays

With all indications pointing to the heaviest traffic on US-27, the July Fourth week end, Commissioner Donald S. Leonard has placed State Police on extra patrol duty from Friday afternoon to early Tuesday morning.

At the same time, the commissioner made an urgent plea to motorists to use every precaution in driving. "Wherever possible an early start should be made to avoid congested traffic and plenty of time should be taken on the way."

"We hope drivers will even improve the four-day Memorial week end record," Leonard said. "There were 22 persons killed on Michigan highways over the four-day Fourth of July period last year. Over last Memorial week end, when traffic was the highest on record, 15 persons lost their lives in highway accidents. Again comparing this improvement, at least 7.2 persons were killed during each three-day week end during the month of June, July and August of last year."

"This experience shows that casualties can be reduced when drivers try to do a good job, but 15 lives are still too high a price for carelessness. Speeding too fast for conditions was a contributing cause in six of the 14 fatal accidents, and violations and negligence were also responsible for most of the others."

"Check the car to see that it is in good operating condition. Don't speed. Don't cut in and out of traffic. Stay in line until passing is safe. Don't drink if you drive. And finally, drive as if your life depended on it—because it does."

Meeting To Discuss Overseas Aid For Children

County Agricultural Agents have been requested to call a local meeting of representatives of Granges, churches, township government, Parent Teacher Association, etc. The meeting was called but only five interested people attended. The meeting was for the purpose of discussing the need of a local organization to conduct a drive for American overseas aid for children.

PLAN TWO BALL GAMES, FIREWORKS SUNDAY

Two ball games, a "German" band and fireworks will officially mark Independence Day in Grayling on Sunday.

The first celebrating event will be the appearance on the streets of Grayling during the early afternoon of a "German" band. The band is made up of members of the Grayling Legion Drum and Bugle Corps, who have been doing a little practicing on the side.

A softball game is planned for 2 P. M. Sunday afternoon at the Grayling Golf Club field with members of the Legion, Lions, Kiwanis and the new Knights of Columbus softball teams taking part. Leo Lovely, who is in charge of this and urges anyone who is interested in the sport to come out for the game. He promised action for all who wish to take part.

The Grayling Independent Baseball Club who are to travel to Gaylord for the second game of a home and home series on Monday, July 5, are attempting to line up a high class opponent for Sunday. As yet no definite team has been signed but they fully expect to see action at the City Park in the late afternoon with some visiting team. The trip to Gaylord Monday will repay the northern city's trip here Memorial Day in which the local team were victors by a 13 to 14 score.

As soon as darkness permits, \$500 worth of fireworks will be fired off from the Grayling Golf course. The pyrotechnic display was made possible by contributions and donation on the part of the Grayling merchants. The firing of the display is in the charge of Grayling Post 106, American Legion.

If rain interferes with the fireworks display on the evening of the Fourth, they will be fired on the evening of July 5th. If rain again stops the display, it will be held over until V-J Day and then be exploded in a fiery blaze of color.

All in all, next Sunday afternoon and evening should prove the best Fourth of July celebration that Grayling has witnessed in several years.

Restaurant-Gift Shop Opens At Lake Margrethe

Mrs. Jerrie Johnson, former teacher at Mason, Michigan, announces that "Jerrie's Ranch," eating place and gift shop, located at Lake Margrethe on M-93 will be open for business Saturday, July 3, with a "grand opening" scheduled for the following Saturday, July 10th.

Summer Band Starts Tuesday

The city-sponsored Summer band program is scheduled to get underway at the Grayling High School Tuesday morning, July 6 under the direction of LeRoy Christian, high school band instructor.

All Senior and Junior Band members and those who wish to start the training should report to the band room in the high school for registration to receive a lesson every day. Parents who wish to start their children in instrumental music from the fourth grade and up, should see Mr. Christian at 11 A. M. on July 6th in the band room. This is an excellent opportunity to start beginners whether they have an instrument or not, as some instruments are available and others will be obtained soon. The need for instruments for these beginners is great, if there are any towns people who have any instruments for sale, rent or donations, get in contact with Mr. Christian at the school or call him at his residence, phone 2088. Mr. Christian will also give private lessons in his home during July and August.

FLINT WEDDING OF INTEREST HERE

Of interest to her many friends in Grayling is the marriage on Saturday June 26 at 7 P. M., of Miss Evelyn May Galloway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Galloway of Flint to George Crisp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis J. Crisp of Sault Ste. Marie.

The vows were exchanged in a setting of roses and cut flowers on the lawn of the bride's parent's home, Flint. Rev. Ralph Lindsay of the Presbyterian Church officiated in the presence of 50 guests.

The bride was lovely in a floor length gown of white silk and a finger tip veil. Her arm bouquet was made up of roses and gladioli. She was given in marriage by her father. The bridegroom's cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Crisp, were their attendants.

A wedding supper was served to the 50 guests at the home of the bride's parents following the ceremony.

The bride attended the Beaver Creek and Grayling schools. She and Mr. Crisp will be at home to their friends at 1034 Barrie Street, Flint.

Those attending the wedding party were Mrs. Pearl Moon, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Galloway (grandparents of the bride), and an aunt, Mrs. Raymond Denno and her daughter, Mary Lou. Others attended from Sault Ste. Marie, Detroit, Pontiac and Owosso. All wished the bride and groom the best of luck.

Girl Scouts Troop 6 Enjoy Island Trip

Thirty-nine of us left Grayling at 6:30 last Saturday morning on the morning train. Arriving at Mackinaw City we had 1 hour and 30 minutes wait in which we went to see the old fort there. About 11 o'clock we got on the ferry to go across to Mackinaw Island, where we landed at 11:30. The girls ate lunch by the lake shore, where they enjoyed feeding the sea gulls and picking up shells.

THOMAS ALLMAN SUCCUMBS

Thomas Allman, 74, passed away at Mercy Hospital, Tuesday, June 29. He was born June 25, 1874. The deceased was a resident at Lake Margrethe. He was a member of Michelson Memorial Church, where he was head usher and also a member of the church board. His chief outside interest in life other than his work was the church. His body was taken to Wyandotte, Mich. Tuesday evening, where services will be held. Further information was unavailable at this time.

Bond Drive On Last Lap

With less than a fortnight remaining in the current Security Loan Drive, E Bond sales reported from the 83 counties of the State up to June 14 total \$42,087,351 or 87 per cent of Michigan's \$48 million E Bond quota. Frank N. Ishey announced last week.

On the basis of individual quotas by counties for E Bonds, only 14 counties had on that date passed the halfway point. Dickinson, in the Upper Peninsula, still remained the only county to have gone over its quota. Next in standing in the State were Midland 76%; Wayne 76%; Genesee 75%; Montcalm 73%; followed by Ontonagon 68%; Muskegon 67%; and Lenawee each with 66%.

Wastawa 58%; Kent 57%; Gogebic and Lapeer each 53%; Marquette and Oakland 52% each and Iron and Bay each with 50%. Over 45 per cent of their E Bond quota were St. Clair, Monroe, Saginaw, Schoolcraft, Ingham, Benzie, Manistee and Hillsdale.

This, the first peace time Bond Drive undertaken, has been conducted very quietly and without any fanfare, Ishey pointed out. One of the major purposes of the campaign has been to reactivate the Payroll Savings Plan in the State's industrial plants and commercial concerns and to obtain a minimum 55% of employee participation in this voluntary method of raising the bond drive.

While the Security Loan Campaign officially terminates on June 30, it has been announced that all sales reported up to July 17 will count in the total in the respective Bond categories.

Sales of F and G Bonds will be greatly stimulated, it is believed, as a result of the waiver on the limits of these from July 1 to July 15 just announced by the Secretary of the Treasury. The tag in purchases of these two Series up to June 15 has left the total sales reported in the State considerably below the total quota of \$37 million. Ishey expressed confidence, however, that investors' buying while the special waiver is in effect will enable the quota to be met when the final figures are tabulated.

Kiwanis Club Notes

A program was foregone at the regular weekly meeting of the Kiwanis Club of Grayling Monday evening at the Lone Pine Inn, when club matters were brought up for discussion. Max Davenport was inducted as a new member and presented with his Kiwanis pin at the meeting.

Another Big Trout Caught At Park

Another big Brown trout was landed from the waters of the East Branch of the AuSable River in the City Park, last Sunday evening when Howard Bunker, Jr., 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bunker of this city became the proud fisherman.

The fish measured 22 inches in length and weighed four pounds. It was taken at about 11 P. M., on a caddis fly tied by Jimmy Burch, 13, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marian Burch.

NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the Grange at the Hall, Saturday at 2 o'clock. Members please be present as there is important business to be taken up.

Bob Smith has taken employment at Jerrie's Ranch for the summer.

WHAT - WHERE - WHEN

American Legion, 8:00 P. M., Legion Hall. Second Monday, business; 4th Monday, social. Youth Fellowship, M. M. Church each Sunday evening at 7:30. Every Wednesday, Legion Drum and Bugle Corps practice at Legion Hall. V. F. W. will meet the first and third Tuesday of every month. Grange Hall, 8 o'clock. V. F. W. Auxiliary will meet the first and third Monday of every month. Grange Hall, 8 o'clock. Regular meetings of Grayling Council, Knights of Columbus, first Tuesday of each month at St. Mary's Hall, Grayling. Third Tuesday of each month at St. Michael's Hall, Roscommon. Grange meetings, the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month at Grange Hall in afternoon. Local Order of the Moose at 8 P. M. on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month. American Legion Auxiliary 8:00 P. M. Legion Hall, 2nd Tuesday, business; 4th Tuesday, social. July 3—White elephant sale, sponsored by Kiwanis. Watch for further notice. July 7—Regular meeting of Grayling Chapter No. 83, O. E. S. July 8—Ladies Aid. Mrs. Oscar Hanson, Lake Margrethe. Bring table service. Note date change. July 14—Lutheran Jr. Aid, 8:00 P. M. at the home of Mrs. Chas. Mosher, 304 Maple St.



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Cure Worse Than Disease

Just how important a part proposals for price control and rationing of commodities will play in the pending political campaigns remains to be seen. Some candidates will undoubtedly urge them, on the theory that they may have a strong appeal to voters faced with a shrinking dollar. Under these circumstances, the people should give considerable thought to the problems involved.

First of all, no one is going to make anything or produce anything at a loss. We could, for instance, establish by law a ceiling price of two bits a dozen on eggs and two dollars on a pair of shoes. The farmer and the shoe manufacturer would then, from necessity, turn to other products or call it a day.

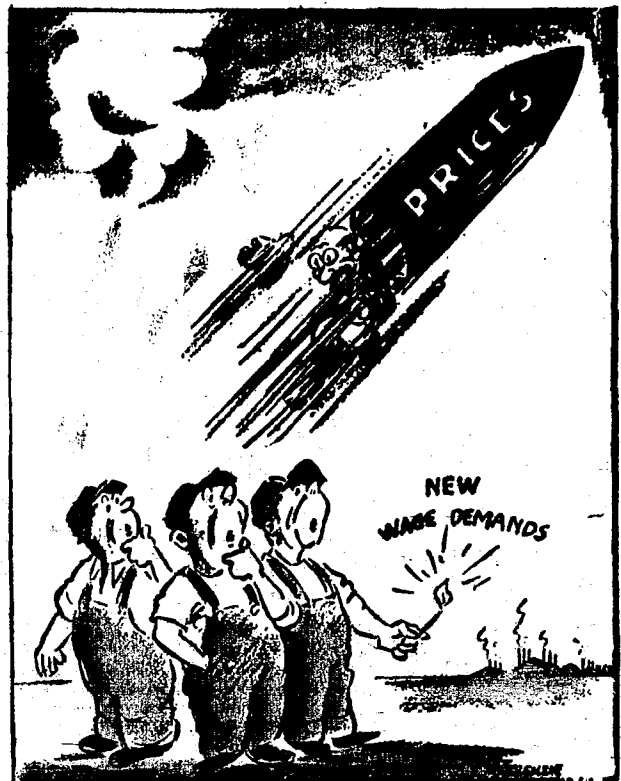
We could pass a law saying that retailers must sell goods at such and such a price, regardless of wholesale costs or the costs of doing business. Then, also from necessity, the retailer would have to stop ordering those goods unless he were willing to gradually go broke.

We could issue ration books once more, on the grounds that this would allocate scarce commodities equitably. And then the scarce goods would flow into the black market, where they could be bought only by the well heeled few—just as they did under OPA, and just as they are doing everywhere in the world where rationing remains in effect.

The only cure for inflation lies in individual thrift, a reduction in the cost of government, and in maximum production by labor, management and everyone else. Artificial controls always deal with effects and never with causes. And they always create a worse situation than that they are supposed to correct.

SURPRISE!

By MACKENZIE

Interesting Events In
Grayling 23 Years AgoINTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE
FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, July 2, 1925

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Goeman and children left Monday for Seattle, Washington, where they will make their home.

Miss Elsie Erickson of Grand Rapids is enjoying a visit with her aunts, Mrs. Adler-Jorgenson and Mrs. J. W. Sorenson.

Isaac Lovely accompanied by his sister, Minnie Lovely, and Agnes Boniface, motored to Iron Mountain on a business trip, returning Saturday.

Mrs. Carl Sorenson and little son and Mrs. N. Schlotz expect to leave tomorrow for Compton, California, to visit Mrs. Sorenson's mother, Mrs. Marie Fischer and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. John Vaughn of Detroit is spending a couple of weeks with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Simon Sivrais.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rosenstand and children left Sunday morning for Copenhagen, Denmark, sailing from New York harbor on the Steamship Frederick VIII.

Saturday evening, Junior Hanson entertained a number of friends at a dinner dance in celebration of his birthday.

Howard Peterson of Detroit is visiting his mother, Mrs. John Benson.

Mrs. Margaret Squires left Wednesday to enter Columbia University, where she will attend summer school.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Barton Wakeley, a son, on Friday, June 28th. The little fellow weighed 10 pounds.

Mark Lewis entertained several little friends at a beach roast Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lozon of Maple Forest and daughter, Miss Osa, were in Bay City last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Elsie Lizin.

James Ketsul has leased the City Restaurant formerly run by Frank LaMotte. Mr. Ketsul has been a cook in a Detroit Cafe the past three years and understands the restaurant business. The City Restaurant was established in the early lumbering days.

A shortage of water in the pond caused the Electric Company to curtail their service by shutting down between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M. This condition is quite likely to continue unless we get a good rainfall.

Mrs. Frank Sales reports the completion of taking the school census and an increase of seven children of school age over the record of last year. The report shows that there are 713 children in the district, 383 of whom are girls and 350 are boys. Last year there were 1,100 children of school age in Crawford County.

Notice is hereby given that all children under 17 years of age must remain off the streets of Grayling after the hour of 8 each evening unless accompanied by their parents or guardian. The Village Curfew bell will ring at 8 o'clock, thus giving due and timely

warning that children should be in their homes. Parents of children will be held liable for the conduct of their children who may come under the direction of this notice. Julius Jensen, village marshal.

The daughter of a civilian employee at the Naval Air Station, Jacksonville, Florida, had a chronic case of hiccoughs so she was taken for a ride in a plane which zoomed, rolled and snapped in an effort to scare her out of them. The ride didn't cure the girl, but it made her father pretty sick.

Three former Waves, all now in the U. S. Naval Reserve, have been made honorary admirals in the Nebraska Navy, according to a letter from one of them received by a Navy publication.

You can get a record of the wages credited to your Social Security account by writing to the Social Security Administration, 107 South Union Street, Traverse City, Michigan, and asking for Form 7004.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Pampered Farmers

If the folks in our town were less tolerant, they'd be really burned up over that nationally circulated article on "pampered farmers," describing them as living off the fat of the land.

From where I sit the farmer is anything but "pampered." If he's better off today than twenty years ago it's because he's worked hard to improve the quality and quantity of his production.

Take Bert Childers, for example. Bert is up at four in the morning, to get the milking finished—and

ploughing or harvesting, depending on the season, until sundown. In the evening he finally relaxes with the missus over a moderate glass of beer.

And the farmer today's not only temperate in his habits, like Bert's evening glass of beer... but tolerant in his opinions. So he'll probably say of that article, "somebody got the facts wrong," and just let it go at that.

Joe Marsh

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Friday & Saturday

"Lightning in The Forest"

—Starring—

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Cartoon

World News

"Give My Regards To Broadway"

—Starring—

Dan Dailey, Nancy Guild

Sunday & Monday

Sunday Show
Continuous From
2 P. M.

Cartoon

March of Time
(Battle of Greece)

Late News

"Homecoming"

—Starring—

Lana Turner, Clark Gable
and Anne Baxter

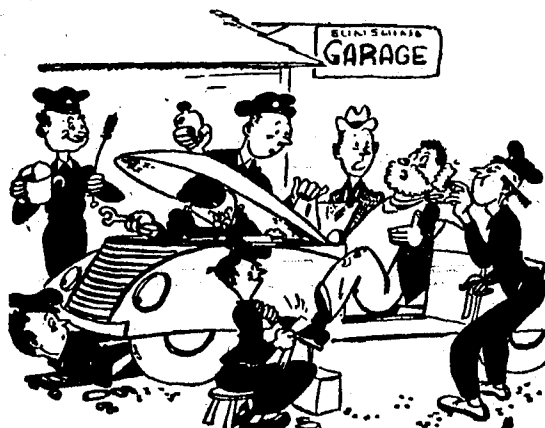
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Cartoon

Program Subject To Change



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were lost in the explosions at Hiro-
shima and Nagasaki, according to
a prominent doctor, working with
atomic medicine.

He cites blood banks and new
treatments for Leukemia and other
incurable diseases to corroborate
this view.

The innumerable persons whose
lives have been saved through
blood donations from the blood
bank can be said to owe their lives
to atomic science as its radioactive
isotopes helped to discover the pre-
cise long enough energy make
blood bank system possible. This
tracer method has prevented
any needless amputations be-
cause through it, it is possible to
determine whether or not blood
circulation to certain parts of the
body has been harmed.

The atom is also helping to al-
leviate the tragic and supposedly
incurable disease, Leukemia, which
has brought certain death in the
past through the bone marrow's
overproduction of white blood
cells; it is helping to the trouble-
some illness caused from overac-
tivity of the thyroid gland and in
polycythemia, a disease caused
by too many red blood cells.

In Leukemia, injections of ra-
dioactive phosphorus lodge mainly
in the long bones that are overpro-
ducing the white corpuscles and
available beams of energy reduce
the activity of the bone marrow so
that the white cell count begins to
drop toward normal. In poly-
cythemia most of the injected phos-
phorus is absorbed by those cells
which are overproducing the red
corpuscles and again the rays
emitted by the isotope atoms re-
duce the output.

Cancer is similar to these disor-
ders in that there is overproduc-
tion. The doctor observes, "Since
in addition, physicians can remove
some malignant growths by expos-
ing them to x-rays or radium
rays, you can see the basis of
science's dream of combating can-
cer internally with radioactive
atoms."

TRAFFIC

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problem has been complicated by
a number of factors. First of all,
enforcement is hampered because
it is difficult to identify drivers
who are under the influence of
alcohol until some error in driving
has been committed. "Since
in addition, physicians can remove
some malignant growths by expos-
ing them to x-rays or radium
rays, you can see the basis of
science's dream of combating can-
cer internally with radioactive
atoms."

Coupled with these basic prob-
lems are others of exceptional im-
portance. The absence of needed
legislation narrows the field of
police investigation and neces-
sarily limits the horizon of judicial
decision. Again, loopholes in exist-
ing legislation permit the guilty to
escape and, all too frequently, the
innocent to suffer. Such a situa-
tion destroys police morale and
nurtures antagonism between the
police, the prosecution and the
courts. This, in turn, engenders an
unfavorable public attitude.

Many drivers still believe that
the term "drunken driver" applies
only to a person who is dead
drunk or almost hopelessly disori-
ented. Such is not the case, since
persons who are very drunk are
seldom able to drive at all. Invest-
igations of accidents involving
drinking drivers reveal that the
greater menace is the individual
who has drunk enough to have a
false feeling of confidence. In
reality, even a little alcohol slows

down physical reactions to the
extent of making a driver unsafe.

For example, a recent study re-
vealed that nearly half of the
drivers involved in personal
injury accidents had been drink-
ing to some degree; and, second,
that the chances of such persons
being involved in accidents in-
creased so rapidly that the driver
with an alcohol concentration of
15 percent or more in his blood
was 55 times more likely to become
involved in a personal injury ac-
cident than the non-drinking driver.

Correction of this situation rests
with public acceptance of the
principle that "alcohol and gaso-
line do not mix." Competent sci-
entific research has shown that
human coordination (ability to
carry on several activities at once)
and ability to judge distances are
affected for the worse when ex-
posed to only a relatively small
amount of alcohol.

Every driver owes it to himself,
to his family, to the occupants of
his car and to the other users of
the highway to refrain from driv-
ing after drinking.

SHORT STORY**The Difficult
Date**

By
EULALIE WEEKS

WHY was she on this train? Why
was she taking this trip that
was bound to end in heartbreak?

"The scenery in this part of the
country is lovely, isn't it?"
Sheila turned to the little person
beside her. Certainly there was
nothing outstanding about her com-
panion, except perhaps a pleasant
expression. Sheila was surprised to
hear herself asking, "Do you like
travelling by train?"

"Oh, yes, replied
the woman. "I
like watching the outside and the
landscape. People are so won-
derful."

Suddenly Sheila felt like keeping
the conversation going. "I bet you
know a lot about people?"

"I like to think I do. I guess about
them and wonder where they are
going and why."

"Where do you think I'm going,
then, and why?"

"I'm not sure. At first I thought
you were going home to visit your
folks for the week-end but you're
not happy enough for that. I do
think, though, that you're going
some place that has some connec-
tion with your home."

"Why do you think that, Mrs.
er... I'm sorry, I don't mean to be
rude!"

"My name isn't Mrs. It's Miss
Dolly James. Ever one calls me
Miss Dolly."

"Oh," continued Miss Dolly. "I
know you're familiar with this coun-
try because you never glance back
or ahead. You seem to know every-
thing that's coming next."

"That's right. I've made this trip
to Ganesville pretty often but not
very lately. There's no one there
for me to visit any more."

"I'm sorry."

The sympathy in Miss Dolly's
voice seemed to be all Sheila
needed. "Four years ago today I
said goodbye to Dannie Ross on the
little platform at Ganesville. Dan-
nie had things figured out pretty
well. He didn't think he had any
right to tell me how he felt about
me then but he said that if he ever
came back and I wanted to hear
how he felt, he'd meet me on that
same platform in four years' time
and tell me."

"So you're going to meet him?"

"I'm going to Ganesville."

"Didn't he come back?" was the
next inquiry.

"Yes, he came back, Miss Dolly."

"I'm afraid I don't understand."

"Well, it's simple, really. Dannie
came back and the very sight of
him thrilled me so that I was on
top of the world but Dan said he
thought I had changed a lot. He
said I was sophisticated and effi-
cient and he paid me lots of lovely com-
pliments but he never once men-
tioned the subject we discussed."

"He likes the city?"

"He never used to. He always
said he wanted to come back and



"Dan, oh, Dan! How could you?"

own his own shop and raise a fam-
ily in the country."

"But you don't want to any
more?"

"Of course I do! I'm the same
girl inside that he left four years
ago. I want the things now that we
both wanted then but he doesn't
seem to want to find that out."

"Yet you're taking this trip to-
day?"

"I just had to. I promised. But
it's no use."

"What makes you think it's no
use? Don't you believe he'll be here
to see if you have changed or not?"

"I did until last night. We were
all at a party and I kept listening
for him to drop some hint about our
secret date for today but right in
front of me I heard him make a
date to play golf this afternoon."

"You'd better powder that nose
of yours. We're nearly to Ganes-
ville."

The tapping at the window at-
tracted her and as the train started
slowly to move, she could make out
Miss Dolly's words:

"He had to be sure! He had to be
sure!"

Sheila's puzzled thoughts about the
little lady's last words were inter-
rupted. Two strong arms enfolding
her.

"Dan, oh, Dan! How could you?"

"Ganesville, Ganesville," she heard him
say. "I had to be sure. I had to be
sure..."

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STRICTLY A FAMILY AFFAIR . . . Families the size of this one don't happen along every day. Actually, they have become more or less of a rarity since civilized men and women embraced monogamy as the proper marital institution. But take the case of Mrs. Edith Hunter, 65, of Leeds, England; shown here at right. She is extending her felicitations to her 53rd grandchild, Margaret, after the baby was christened at Leeds. Twenty-five of Mrs. Hunter's children and grandchildren lined up across the sidewalk to witness the little tableau. They range in age from 36 to 3 years, and they owe it all to their grandmother.

Lovells Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Crieth of Flint are guests for the week at the Douglas Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gile (nee Pat Moore) and their infant son, Michael Vance, all from Hazel Park spent a few days at the Moore's cottage on Guthrie Lake.

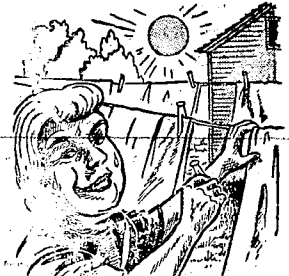
Mr. and Mrs. John Munn and also Mr. and Mrs. Leal Munn and daughter of Vicksburg, Michigan are spending a few days in one of John's cabins on "Shu-Pac" Lake. The Bud Long family has been at their cabin the past week end on "Shu-Pac".

Paul Loeffler is building another house on his property on the river bank.

The John Haefkas have moved their household belongings to their

My Neighbors

By BILL PAULSON



"I can see why parts of Europe would rather produce ideas than goods. You don't get sweat in your eyes . . . thinking!"

new home in Lovells from Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Gilbert are visiting with friends in East Tawas the past week as well as out selling their stock of woolen goods.

The J. Stokes family have as their guest Mrs. Stokes' mother, Mrs. McCracken, also their niece, Betty Gilbert, both from Boyne City.

Work on the new chapel is showing up in fine shape now. Mr. Homer and a helper from Frederic are laying the blocks and John Kellogg has the construction job.

There will be a party to win prizes at the school house Friday night. Everyone is invited to attend also on Saturday at the dances.

Lovells community is indeed sorry to learn of Mr. Kellogg's accident. He fell a week ago and fractured his hip and was taken to Mercy Hospital for medical care, but was removed to his home latter in the week and Mrs. Larry Loftus, a daughter, who is a trained nurse, is there caring for

him. Mrs. Loftus is from Saginaw. We all wish him a speedy recovery.

Miss Marylan Wade whose home is beyond Blondie Dam, was bitten by a rattlesnake Tuesday while bathing at the dam. She was rushed to Mercy Hospital, where medical treatment was administered.

Mrs. Albert Pochelon together with her son, William, and two daughters, Emma and Louise, also Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weekes and family and a nephew, George Weitzmann, all of Detroit, spent a number of days at the Pochelon cabin.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Kellogg and children of Farmington, Michigan, are at the former's parental home. While here helping to care for Mr. Kellogg, who is confined to his bed to the fracture of a hip.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Gilbert went to Frankenmuth to attend a banquet and meeting for the salesmen of Minnesota Woolen Co.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Gilbert spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wickham of East Tawas.

The Minnesota Woolen agent, B. C. Gilbert and wife were the first passenger car to cross the new bridge at the Fish Hatchery with their 1934 Pontiac. The first shall be last and the last shall be first.

Frederic News

Charley Thompson, his sons, Lyle and James, also Leonard Simpson from Alma, who have been spending the last week at the cottage in Frederic, returned to their home Sunday afternoon.

Eddie Jungman who spent last week with his father, Paul Jungman, returned to his work on the

Great Lakes on Tuesday, June 28th.

Guy Roby made a business trip to Traverse City, Thursday.

Stanley Langdon of Gaylord spent several days visiting at the home of Roy Lance, returning home Saturday.

Alva Hunt, who works in Detroit, enjoyed the week end with his wife, Stella and daughter, Beverly, they and Mrs. Laura Wallace returned to Detroit with him Monday morning.

Roy Lance, who has been having the flu returned to his work at Lake Margrèthe, Monday.

The Sportsman's Club of Frederic is busy getting new members and next Saturday night, July 3rd, will give away a beautiful Fly Rod at the Town Hall. All sportsmen should attend.

George Gilbert, who has been working at the Leng Garage, returned to Bay City, Thursday. His sons of Bay City spent the week end at Frederic.

Several fishermen enjoyed the week at Frederic and report the fishing is fine.

Arthur and Belva Babcock of Lewiston spent the week end with Bertha and Roy Lance, they are spending the summer at Benwick caring for her mother, who is very ill.

"Bill" Sly and wife of Detroit and Sam Hamilton of Flint have been at their cottage at Otsego Lake enjoying the fishing, also visiting Hans Jungman and other friends at Frederic.

William Patterson reports many large catches of fish, especially trout. Glen Stragel of Owosso caught his limit of Bluegills, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moulton of Detroit are at their cottage north of town for the summer and are making some improvements.

C. A. Wilbur and wife of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. C. Wilbur and granddaughter, Sandra Buch, of Grayling visited at the home of their uncle, C. S. Barber, on Sunday.

Little Karen Sue Lodge returned home Sunday from Mercy Hospital, where she underwent a tonsil operation Saturday. She's coming along fine.

Mrs. Elroy Barber has returned home from the hospital much improved in health.

Mrs. Alvin Hunt is spending a week in Detroit visiting her husband and children.

Miss Carol Lodge is spending a couple of weeks in Detroit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Horner and daughter, who spent the past week with the latter's parents, the C. S. Barbers.

John Parsons of Rogers City was in town to visit old friends.

Mrs. Laura Wallace is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mable Irish, in Detroit, also her sister, Mrs. Ray Brennan.

Friends of C. S. Barber are happy to learn of his improvement in health.

FETED AT SHOWER

Mrs. Jack Church was feted with a stork shower at the home

of her mother, Mrs. Herbert Stephan, Thursday, June 24. Mrs. Ed Lowrie, Mrs. Edna McEvers and Mrs. Ross Thompson were co-hostesses.

Twenty five ladies were present. Games were played with prizes being won by Mrs. Donald Sorenson, Mrs. Carl Nielsen, Mrs. Morden Post and Caroline Post. The refreshment table was centered with a miniature pink and white bassinette.

The gifts were opened by the bride's sister, Mrs. Lowrie and

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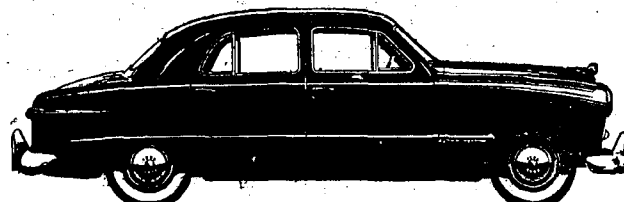
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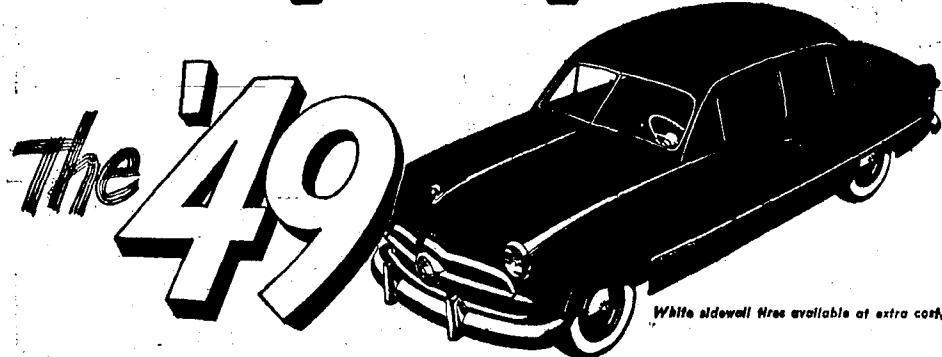
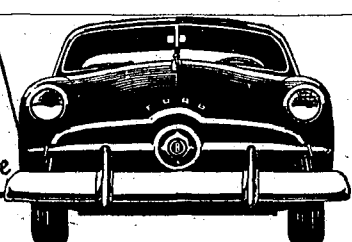
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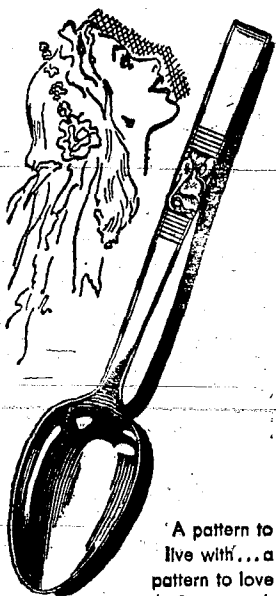
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Maple Forest

Bessie Feldhauser was hostess to Home Extension Club I last Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Arthur Howse and Mrs. Elmer Greenwell were contest winners. Dora Feldhauser assisted the hostess with a very delicious lunch. The next meeting will be at Arthur Howse cabin on the East Branch on July 13.

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Mrs. Pauline Fleming and Ben Owen of Ann Arbor were dinner guests Wednesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnston.

Ona Lozon returned home last week to take care of her father, Archie Lozon.

Friends have received word of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mattison (Jean Owen) of Evanston, Ill.

Mrs. Joe Olson has been entertaining her nephew and a friend from Ohio, this week.

Lou Ann McEvers of Lake Margrethe spent the week end here with her cousin, Nancy Papenfus. Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Brown and daughter, Ills. of Carlton, Michigan spent the week end with her aunt and uncle, Mrs. E. V. Greenwell and R. Johnston.

Don't forget the picnic, July 5th at Redhead Lake. This is for the entire community.

Staff for Scout Camp is Announced

Staff members for the Summer Trails Council camp to be conducted at Camp Noyati on Crooked Lake in Clare County were announced today. The Camp will again be under the directorship of Ken Taylor, Assistant Executive. He is a graduate of the National Training School for Scout Execu-

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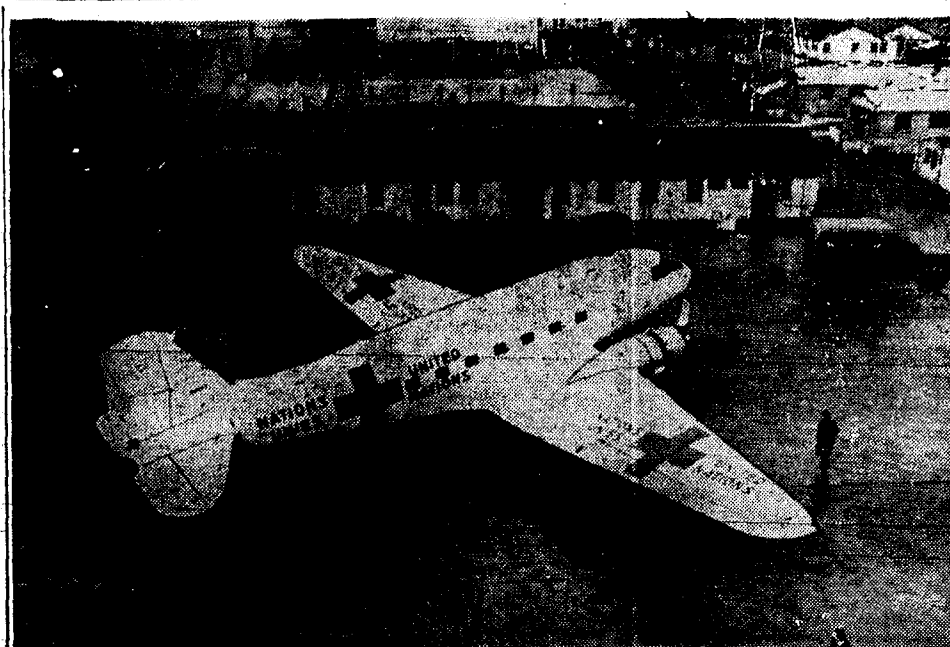
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Northbound	Standard Time	Southbound
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Lv. 4:15 P.M. Detroit		Ar. 10:30 P.M.
4:25 P.M. Woodward Ave.		10:20 P.M.
4:30 P.M. Rochester		9:45 P.M.
4:35 P.M. Leeper		9:15 P.M.
4:40 P.M. Vassar		8:41 P.M.
4:45 P.M. Saginaw		8:10 P.M.
4:57 P.M. Bay City		
(West Side)		
5:10 P.M. West Branch		6:34 P.M.
5:15 P.M. Roscommon		6:01 P.M.
5:20 P.M. Grayling		5:38 P.M.
5:27 P.M. Gaylord		5:02 P.M.
5:30 P.M. Vanderhill		4:50 P.M.
5:35 P.M. Wakefield		4:35 P.M.
5:40 P.M. Indian River		4:15 P.M.
5:45 P.M. Topinabee		4:09 P.M.
5:50 P.M. Mullet Lake		4:00 P.M.
5:55 P.M. Cheboygan		3:51 P.M.
6:00 P.M. Mackinaw City		3:30 P.M.

NOTE: The "Michigan Timberliner" will not run Southbound Sunday, July 4, but will run Monday July 5th instead. Last trip Southbound will be on Monday, September 6.

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tives and of the National School for Camp Directors as well as a member of the American Camping Association.

Program Director of the camp session will be A. E. Peets, Assistant Principal of Midland High School.

Dr. B. F. Miller of Hollywood, California, will again handle First Aid service and training in First Aid. Dr. Miller is a Scouter of 30 years experience.

Waterfront program will be under the directorship of Douglas Hansen, Antioch College student whose home is in Neenah, Wis. Hansen is at present attending the National Aquatic School of the Boy Scouts of America in session at Toledo, Ohio. He will be assisted by William Ross of Midland, Michigan, who has recently completed training in sailing, rowing and coaching at the American Red Cross Small Craft School conducted at Whitehall, Michigan. Also working on the waterfront at swim periods to assist in waterfront safety and swim instruction will be Ron Wood, Senior Red Cross Lifesaver, James Robertson and Ken Taylor, Jr., Junior American Red Cross Lifesaver rating.

In charge of Campercraft will be Eagle Scout Richard Flagg of Westchester, Pa., who has had experience in Scout Camps in that state. Jerry Robbins of Bay City will have charge of the rifle range.

Provisional Troops will be organized for Scouts coming to camp in small groups, or without their own leaders. Leaders of such camp troops will be Richard Hawle* of Midland and Joseph Abe of the Frederic High School faculty. Mr. Abe is a graduate of Stout Institute, and formerly lived in Hawaii.

*Mr. Hawle is science teacher at Midland Junior High School and a graduate of Northern State Teachers College at Marquette. Several Junior Counselors, Counselors in Training, Maintenance and Kitchen help complete the staff.

The camping program will feature Campercraft, Scoutcraft, Outdoor Cooking and Skills. Cook-outs and out-of-camp trips will be included. Opportunity for Scout advancement including Scout Merit Badges in all out-of-camp subjects will be offered. Council camping awards will be made available to those meeting qualifications, and election to Order of

the Arrow, National Honorary campers Society, will be held at the conclusion of each period. Parents and public are invited to Courts of Honor, Friday evening of each week.

The camp has a top capacity of 90 campers for each period, opening July 18, July 25, August 1 and August 8. Groups registering have opportunity to select tent or cabin style of camping. Second period starting July 25 is almost filled, but there are still openings in each of the other three periods. After June 25, reservations will be accepted from other Councils that do not operate camps. Scouts are encouraged to get reservations in for their selected periods before this is opened to other Councils.

HOLDS OPEN HOUSE WELSH MOTOR SALES

Editor's Note: Due to an oversight, this report was omitted in last week's issue.

The New Ford '49'er was introduced to the public by Welsh Motor Sales in their newly decorated showroom Friday and Sat-

urday, June 18th and 19th. Music and flowers made an appropriate background for the Sea-Mist Green Custom Tudor Sedan selected for display in the showroom.

Two other cars were featured in the show, a Gray Custom Tudor was placed on a hoist to show the new mechanical features and attracted the interest of many, and a Maroon Custom Tudor demonstrated the easy driving and smooth riding of the '49'er.

Flowers were gifts from business associates and personal friends.

Among the five hundred people who attended the Open House and signed the register were residents of surrounding communities, residents of Muskegon, Cadillac, Grand Rapids, Traverse City, Lansing, Saginaw, Flint, Detroit, and out of state guests from Ohio, Indiana, California, Arizona, Texas, and Kentucky. Guests were given souvenirs of the show. The interest shown by the public to the introduction of the Ford '49'er was very much appreciated by the employees and management of Welsh Motor Sales.



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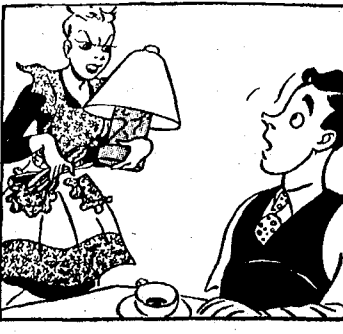
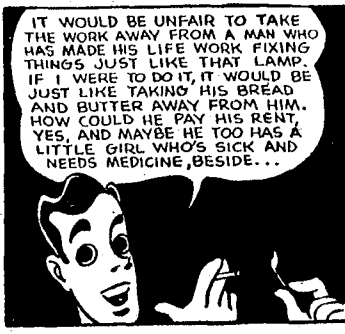
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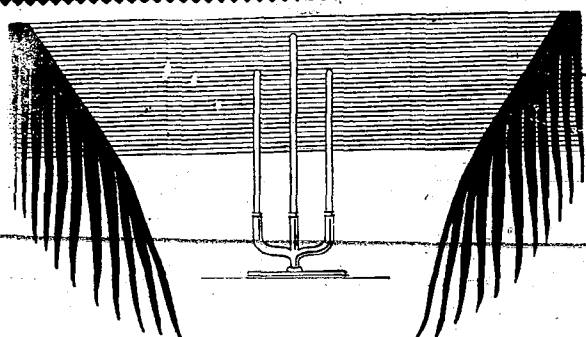


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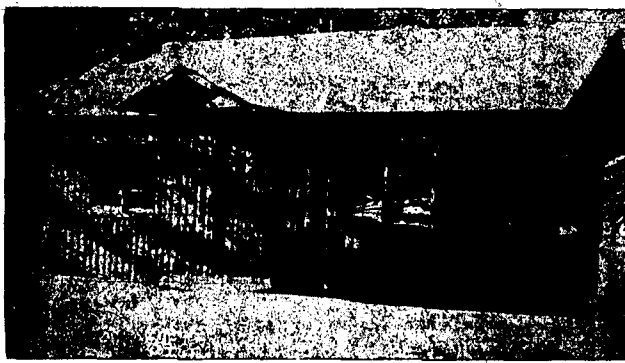


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INTERPRETING THE NEWS

Maybe your automobile is in good mechanical condition. "Other driver" — the fellow who is driving the automobile you meet on the road?

Secretary of State Fred M. Alger, Jr., believes Michigan could save both money and lives by requiring the other driver to keep his car in safe driving condition. By this Alger means the following: Brakes should work; headlights should light up the road; tires should have some tread; the windshield wiper should function.

Aside from the initial investment in testing equipment, the cost of periodic automobile inspections would be a modest fee—50 cents every six months. "It should be worth 50 cents to know that the other automobile on the highway is in good running order," said Alger.

What is the highway traffic problem in Michigan?

State police report that traffic accidents climbed to a new high in 1947. The accident total climbed 25 per cent over 1946. Not so many people were killed. Property damage was up 28 per cent. "All in all, the highway toll ran into many millions of dollars in property damage and hospital bills, not to mention the tragic snuffing out of human lives and the suffering of survivors."

All these facts were reviewed recently by a group of Michigan newspaper editors. The editors met to study ways to arouse the public to the need for better law enforcement, a high school driver education, and periodic vehicle inspection. The legislature in 1947 raised the age of drivers from 14 to 16.

As shown by a reduction of highway deaths in 1947, much progress has already been made in Michigan. But there is still much left to do, in the opinion of Secretary of State Alger and the newspaper editors' committee. "It is significant to note that New Jersey cut highway deaths 30 per cent in one year by requiring the 'other driver' to keep his car in safe condition," said Alger. "New automobiles are potentially more dangerous than ever before. They run faster. My assistant, Charles Creedon, went to New Jersey and investigated the system there. He reported that motorists were well pleased. The inspections serve as a double check for safety."

A uniform code of Michigan traffic laws is now under con-

sideration by the state legislature for the 1949 general session at Lansing. Centralized licensing of drivers has also been proposed. Plates, licenses and mechanical inspections would be handled at one location under direct supervision of the Secretary of State through the Secretary of State's office.

One formidable barrier to periodic mechanical inspection is the initial heavy investment in equipment to check the automobiles. A substantial appropriation of state money would be needed, and the State of Michigan faces a deficit in the new fiscal year.

And yet a rise in the cost of highway accidents, as shown by the 1947 toll, is costing someone—the other driver, now and then—far more in the aggregate than the amount required to buy the inspection equipment.

Here is another problem that affects everybody.

Are the savings worth the cost?

LEGAL NOTICES

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Projects: Mc 68-15, C1; Mc 68-6, C2; Mc 20-18, C2; Mc 26-22, C1; Mc 72-14, C5.

Net Classification required for these projects is 6-Ca.

Sealed proposals for the construction of these projects located in Oscoda, Crawford, Gladwin and Roscommon Counties, will be received from contractors having 1948 Michigan State Highway Department prequalifications, in Veterans' Memorial Building, 213 South Capitol Avenue, Lansing, Michigan, until 11:00 A. M., Eastern Standard Time on Thursday, July 8, 1948, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals may be mailed to Room 424, State Office Building, Lansing, Michigan.

The work will consist of placing 18 and 20 foot non-skid surface treatment, prime and, Double Seal on existing 18 and 20 foot gravel.

Completion date for entire projects September 1, 1948.

The Department's Standard Specifications (1942 Edition), its current Soils Manual, the plans for this project, the special provisions governing subletting and assigning the contract and the employment and use of labor, and the proposal blanks (all of which are essential parts of the contract) may be examined at the district office of the Department at Alpena, Michigan, and at the Michigan Road Builders Association, Lansing, Michigan, but may be obtained only at the office of the Contract-Estimate Engineer, Room 424, State Office Building, Lansing, Michigan, up to 5 P. M., of the day preceding the opening of bids. A fee of three dollars will

be charged for furnishing plans or proposal blanks, which will not be refunded.

Full co-operation in carrying out the special provisions will be required. Minimum wage paid to labor employed on this contract shall be as follows for Zone 3: Skilled labor \$1.50 per hour. Intermediate labor 90 cents per hour. Unskilled labor 80 cents per hour. Other rates as listed in the proposal.

A certified or cashier's check on an open, solvent bank, in the sum of \$3,000.00, payable to Charles M. Ziegler, State Highway Commissioner, must accompany each proposal. All such checks will be returned promptly after the bidding, except that of those of the two lowest bidders will not be returned until execution and delivery of the contract to the State Highway Department. The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals.

Charles M. Ziegler,
State Highway Commissioner,
Lansing, Michigan.

NOTICE

Annual school election will be held at the Frederic School House, July 12, 1948, for the election of two school officers. Other legal business that may come up at that time will also be taken care of. Polls open at 10 o'clock A. M. and close at 5 P. M.

E. A. Corsaut, Secretary.

TIMBER SALE

DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN

Notice is hereby given that Scotch pine timber on the following described lands in the Higgins Lake State Forest will be offered for sale at public auction to be held at the Higgins Lake Forest Headquarters, Roscommon, Michigan, on Tuesday, July 13, 1948, at 2 P. M.

Block I—NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Section 22, T25N, R4W.

Block II—SW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Section 22, T25N, R4W.

Each block will be offered separately. Cutting permits will be awarded to the responsible bidder or bidders offering the largest cash bonus at the sale in addition to agreeing to pay the following stumpage prices:

Block I—Unpeeled pulpwood, \$1.50 per cord.

Block II—Unpeeled pulpwood, \$2.00 per cord.

Cutting specifications: Block I: Cut all Scotch pine 6 inches and over in diameter at stump height. Block II: All trees marked for cutting by the District Foresters must be removed.

Stump height shall not exceed 8 inches on both blocks, and it shall not be less than 4 inches on Block I. All skidding will be done with a single horse and no roads are to be cut in the area.

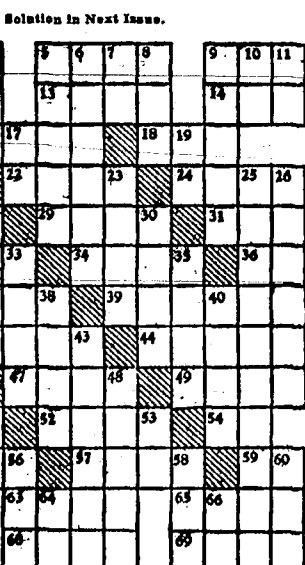
CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Horizontal

- 1 Continent
- 2 Head-up with interest
- 3 To cut
- 4 Confined
- 5 Upholstered
- 6 touch
- 7 Part of "to be"
- 8 Note of scale
- 9 The Orient
- 10 Exclamation
- 11 used to
- 12 startle
- 13 Symbol for samarium
- 14 Okinawan capital
- 15 One of the Great Lakes
- 16 Self-satisfied
- 17 Grain allowed to germinate
- 18 Hotel
- 19 Inmost parts
- 20 Planet
- 21 Note of scale
- 22 Territory
- 23 U. S. bought from Russia
- 24 Oriental salutation
- 25 Artificial language
- 26 To tip
- 27 Turkish government
- 28 Ovum
- 29 Bog
- 30 Frenchman
- 31 Stains
- 32 Occasion
- 33 Musical syllable
- 34 Sheltered
- 35 To be - undecided
- 36 Part of infinitive
- 37 Hawaiian dish
- 38 King of beasts
- 39 Again
- 40 Conjunction
- 41 Pirate executed in London, 1701
- 42 To portend

Vertical

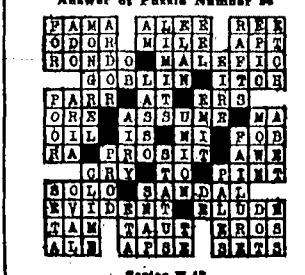
- 1 Likely
- 2 Science of earthquakes
- 3 Preposition
- 4 Chewed up and swallowed
- 5 Province in NE British India
- 6 New York City
- 7 Concerning
- 8 Colloquial: chatter
- 9 New Zealand aborigine
- 10 Either
- 11 Pronoun
- 12 Article
- 13 Farce
- 14 Islands windstorm
- 15 emanation
- 16 Cry of sorrow
- 17 Inspired with a foolish passion
- 18 Outer layer of the teeth
- 19 Frightened



No. 37

- 28 Archaic: deportment
- 29 Pitfall
- 30 To pass lightly over
- 31 To plod
- 32 Landed
- 33 Russian inland sea
- 34 Three-legged stool
- 35 Frozen
- 36 To rectify
- 51 Symbol for selenium
- 52 Printer's measure
- 53 Large deer
- 54 To pack
- 55 To be obliged to
- 56 Colloquial: father
- 57 Upon
- 58 Two
- 59 Negative

Answer to Puzzle Number 36



Series M-47

Slash disposal. Tops will be trimmed to the tips and all slash lopped and scattered to a depth not to exceed 30 inches. All slash must be moved back at least 50 feet from roads and fire lines. Operations under the permits issued as a result of this sale will terminate on July 13, 1948.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

For information relative to this sale contact H. V. Borgerson, District Forester, Higgins Lake State Forest, Roscommon, Michigan. P. J. Hoffmaster, Director.

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ADVERTISEMENTS FOR BIDS

Bids will be taken for the sale of a 1942 Plymouth Tudor Sedan. Bids will be accepted until 7:30 P. M., E.S.T., July 5, 1948, at the City Office. Bids should be marked, "Bids on city car." The City of Grayling reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Max Davenport, City Clerk.

24-1

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 3rd day of June, 1948,

Present, Hon. Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Samuel Dean, deceased. Charles E. Moore having filed in said Court his final account as administrator of said estate, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof.

It is ordered, that the 12th day of July, 1948, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week, for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate.

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Elmer Matson, drove to Flint Friday to get Miss Theresa Aberle of Lodi and Miss Dorothy Holtberg of Stockton, Calif. The young ladies came east with Miss Matson from Stockton. They have been spending some time in New York.

Mrs. Stanley Stealy and Mrs. Roy Milnes spent several days in Clare last week.

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Mrs. Louise J. Irland of Dearborn is spending the summer at her home on the main stream. Her son, Max J. Irland, brought her up.

Mrs. Herbert Wolff of New York City has arrived at her summer home the "Wolff's Den" to spend the summer.

Special: Misses white Sandals, 12 to 3 for \$2.50, at Olsons.

Miss Joyce Bugby of Detroit arrived Friday to spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bugby.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnett Carro and children of Chicago are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kitchell at Lake Margrethe, for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Martin of Lansing are spending a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Rowland announce the arrival of a little daughter, Janet Elaine, at Sparrow Hospital, Lansing, on Friday, June 25. She weighed six pounds and five ounces. Mrs. Rowland was Beatrice Peterson before her marriage.

See the new fully automatic Bendix Washing Machine at B-C-D Equipment Co., Inc., "on the corner."

Dr. and Mrs. Warren B. Cooksey, son, Norton, and daughters, Mary Sue and Barbara, have arrived to spend the summer at Camp "Sunrise." Mrs. Cooksey's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James Peeke have been their their guests.

Jeffrey Sheldon LeButt will celebrate his birthday each June 24th. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin LeButt of Lake Margrethe. The little fellow, who was born at Mercy Hospital, weighed seven pounds and ten ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Stornant and two daughters of Chelsea expect to spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hayes at Summerhaze down river, and Mrs. Stornant and children will remain for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Church are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter at Mercy Hospital, Wednesday, June 23. She weighed six pounds and twelve and a half ounces and will be known as Anne Marie.

Mrs. Matt Edson is attending summer school at Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Archie Kennedy and Mrs. C. R. Brown spent from Wednesday until Sunday in Detroit and Waterford.

Mrs. Leona Johnson has been released from Mercy Hospital, where she was a patient for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hedrick spent a few days in Cadillac last week on business and also visited the Russell Stump family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Parsons and son, Ernie, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sweetwood of Detroit, have returned home after spending a week at North Bay, Canada.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Warner and Mrs. Clinton Bancroft and children drove to Gaylord and Elmira, Sunday, where they bought some nice strawberries. After arriving home Mrs. Warner served refreshments of ice cream and fresh strawberries.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bovee are here from Walled Lake to spend the summer. Mr. Bovee has taken employment at Sorenson's Sporting Goods Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Christenson of Mackinaw City spent last week

at their home here. Their guests for two days were Herman Bohnet and son, Kenneth, of Lansing.

Special: Misses Haurachas for \$1, at Olsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schrieber of Long Beach, California, are spending the summer at the Schrieber farm "down river."

Mr. and Mrs. William Schrieber and Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmar Hill and son, Billy, of Dearborn, stopped over night at the Frank Seven home last week en route to a ten day vacation in the Upper Peninsula.

We at the Avalanche wish to thank those who have phoned or mailed in news items and invite others to do so.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wolff and little daughter, Marjorie, of South Bend, Indiana, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Herbert Wolff. Mr. and Mrs. Halford Kittenman of Chicago were expected to arrive today.

Miss Irene Anthony, who is back in Grand Rapids, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anthony.

Mrs. John Derrickson and daughters, Sally and Sandy, left for their home in Pentwater, Monday, after a week's visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Van-Vleck.

The Richard William family of St. Louis, Missouri, arrived last Thursday to spend the summer at their cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Special: Men's Beach Sandals, all sizes, \$1.95, at Olsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Wakeley proudly announce the arrival of twin boys at Mercy Hospital, Tuesday, June 22. They have been named Arthur Junior and Joseph Vance. Arthur weighed eight pounds and two ounces and Joseph eight pounds and seven and one half ounces.

Mrs. George Kraus of Chicago is here to spend the summer at her Lake Margrethe cottage and members of her family are visiting her.

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The kindness and sympathy of neighbors and friends in our recent sorrow will always remain with us a precious memory. Our sincere thanks and gratitude for all those comforting acts.

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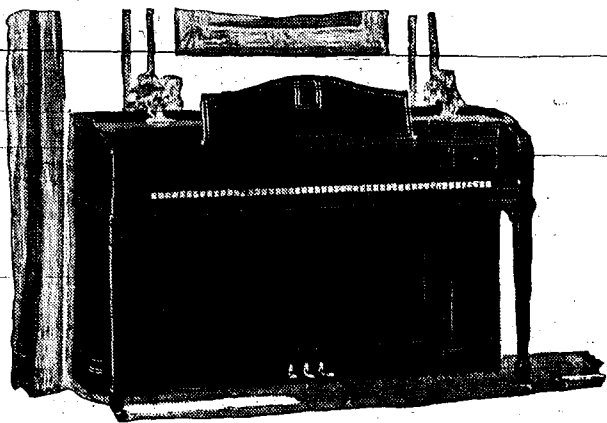
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Bits O' Talk

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Doner spent
from Tuesday until Friday in
Mackinaw City, where they were
called because of the sudden death
of Mr. Doner's brother, Fred, who
passed away Monday June 21.
Mr. Doner was 48 years old.
Services were held Thursday,
June 24, in Mackinaw City.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schroeder
of Ferndale spent the week end
here visiting his mother, Mrs.
Laura MacLeod and brother Wil-
liam MacLeod and family.

Special: Misses white Sandals,
12 to 3 for \$2.50, at Olsons.
Bernard Fowler, Robert Sunday
and Patricia Stephan of Grayling,
members of the Zion League spent
from June 20 to 21 at a youth camp
sponsored by the Reorganized
Church of Jesus Christ of Latter
Day Saints. The camp was lo-
cated 4 1/2 miles north of Boyne
City, Lake Charlevoix. The
young people report an enjoyable
and inspiring week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Hickok and
son, Burton, of Poland, Ohio,
spent last week as guests of the
Leonard Allison family who have
moved into their cabin "down
river" for the summer.

James Post, Clarence Johnson
George Morrison, Grant Thomp-
son, Dr. J. F. Cook and William
Schwienberg of Bay City were in
Detroit Friday, Saturday and Sun-
day to attend the ball game. Mrs.
J. F. Cook spent the time as a
guest of Mrs. Schwienberg in
Bay City.

The following men served as
pallbearers at the funeral of Mrs.
Anna Decker, which took place at
St. Mary's Church, June 23: John
MacMillan, Charles Tucker, Wil-
liam and Wesley LaGrow. Theo-
dore Callahan and Jerome Kes-
seler. The ladies who were re-
ported to have been pallbearers were
honorary pallbearers, members of
the Legion Auxiliary of which
Mrs. Decker was a charter mem-
ber.

Mrs. Lowell Truettner and
daughter, Gretchen, of Ann Arbor

left Thursday after spending a few
days with Mr. and Mrs. Walter F.
Truettner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hooper of
Detroit have opened their summer
home on the "South Branch." Mrs.
Walter J. Truettner and sons, Jim
and Bill, have been their guests.
Mr. and Mrs. Truettner drove the
boys to Woodruff, Wisconsin last
week, where they are attending
Boys Camp at Camp Red Arrow.

Eight members of Girl Scout
Troop 4 with their leader, Mrs.
Grace Andrews, enjoyed an over
night trip on the AuSable River
Saturday night, near the Clare
Madsen home. The girls cooked
their evening meal and breakfast
outdoors but because of the rain,
they spent the night sleeping in the
hay in the Madsen barn. This they
considered a lot of fun.

The W. O. Hildebrands are
building an addition on their cot-
tage at Lake Margrethe.

P. Jay Perry and three friends
were week end guests of the Wm.
LaRush family.

Miss Helen, Routier of Detroit
joined her sister, Miss Margrethe
Bennett, Tuesday to spend the
summer at their Lake Margrethe
cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Richardson
and daughter, Mary attended open
house at Boy's State in Lansing,
June 20. While there they saw
of their friends, Mrs. A. Davidson
of Jackson and Mrs. Clare Schuur
of Kalamazoo, whose sons, Maynard
and Paul, were also attending
Boy's State.

Miss Joyce Hoerl is a new em-
ployee at the Grayling State Sav-
ings Bank.

Mrs. Harry Souders and chil-
dren, Shirley and Dick, and Mrs.
Stuart Jones and children,
Marilyn and Douglas, of Muske-
gon are spending the week visiting
with the family, the Clarks,
Smiths. Mr. Jones is expected to
join them for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Allen, who
are now of Lansing, are also ex-
pected for the 4th of July week
end.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Major of La-
port, Ind., were week end guests
of Mr. and Mrs. Bud R. Smith and
son, Richard.

SOUTH SIDE NEWS

Mrs. Earl Bissel and son, Ward,
and daughter, Ethelene, and friend
Billy Jean Ford, all of Vassar,
spent a couple of days last week
visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. Cooper
and family. William Cooper re-
turned home with them.

The summer Bible school of the
Free Methodist Church will close
Wednesday, June 30, by giving a
program which will consist of
demonstrations by the children of
what they have been doing while
attending Bible school.

Mrs. John Yuill and twin daugh-
ters, Yvonne and Dianne, of Gay-
lord visited Saturday in Grayling.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Worden and
family of Brighton have returned
to Grayling to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leadbeater
of Vanderbilt visited their daugh-
ter, Mrs. Byron Randolph, one
day last week.

Mrs. George Leonard is visiting
friends and relatives in Flint.

Mrs. George Barlund, son,
Harold, of Big Bay is visiting Mr.
and Mrs. Frank Rood and other
relatives.

Mrs. Frank Rood is on the sick
list. We wish her a speedy re-
covery.

George Bielaki, Jr., of West
Branch spent Sunday visiting his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Biel-
ski, Sr.

Mrs. Cladius Moore has re-
turned to her home in High Point,
North Carolina, after visiting her
daughter, Mrs. Ivan McEvers of
Beaver Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Robinson of
Romulus, Michigan, are the proud
parents of a son, born June 29.
He weighs eight pounds and will
be known as Larry Lee. Mrs. Rob-
inson is the former Shirley Glenn
of Grayling and sister of Mrs.
Taylor Loper.

Mrs. Etta Giesler and family of
Pontiac are visiting at the home
of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm.
Hunter, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lazaro-
wicz and son, Kenneth called on
Chester Lory Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bender
have returned to Chicago after
honeymooning in Grayling. Mrs.
Bender is the former Vivian La-
Motte, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Middle LaMotte of this city.
Mrs. Nina Vallad has been on
the sick list.

Miss Shirley Hoerl has returned
home after visiting friends and
relatives in Detroit.

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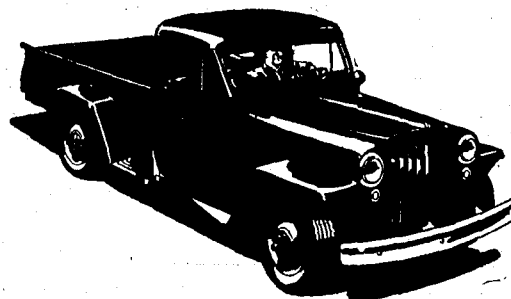
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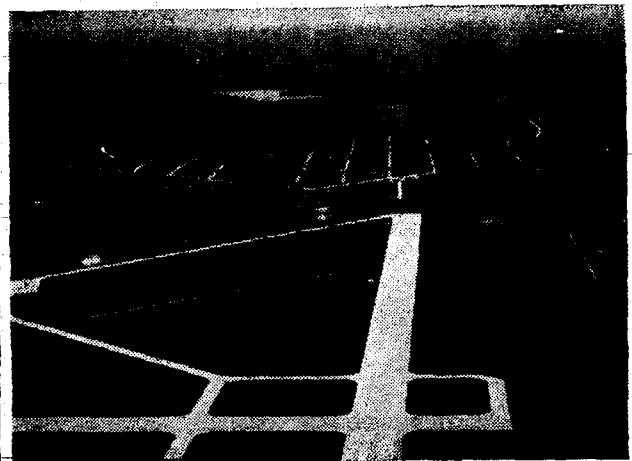
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